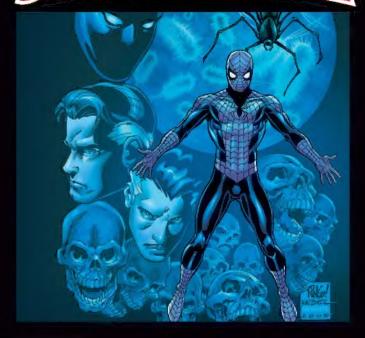




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The diagnosis is in -- and it's bad news for Peter Parker.

There were warning signs: In recent weeks, Spider-Man has been weaker and slower than usual, his powers even completely failing him at key moments. And when a new super-villain calling himself The Tracer arrived to cause mayhem, Spider-Man was nearly killed in his attempt to capture him.

The wall-crawler's battle wounds brought him to Doctor Castillo, who discovered that there is, in fact, something terribly wrong with him—something that modern medicine can't even begin to comprehend, let alone cure.

All indications point to one thing: Peter's condition is terminal.

When Peter's loved ones learn of the danger, they urge him to contact his super-powered friends whose resources in medicine, magic, and technology might hold the solution to Peter's affliction. But no matter where Peter goes or who he sees, the conclusion is always the same; there is no cure.

Now, Spider-Man is faced with a choice—should he keep fighting a battle he can't hope to win or cherish his last moments on Earth with his loved ones?

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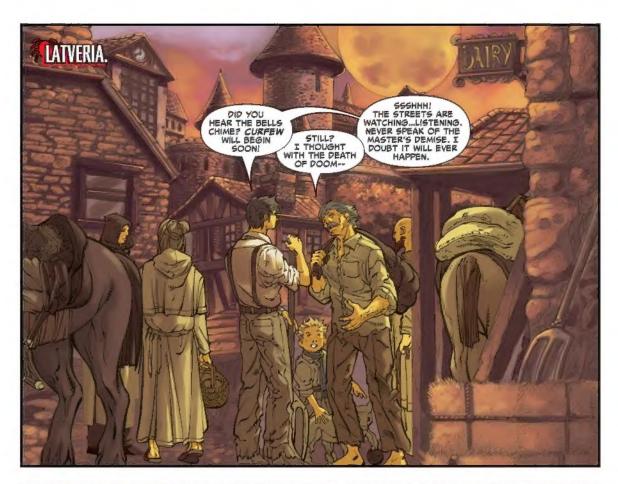
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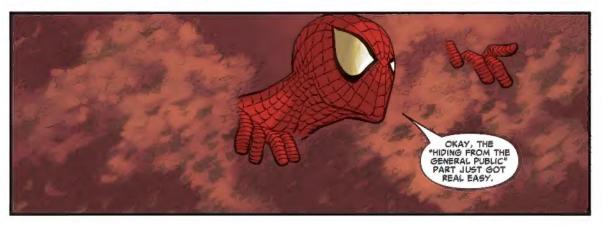
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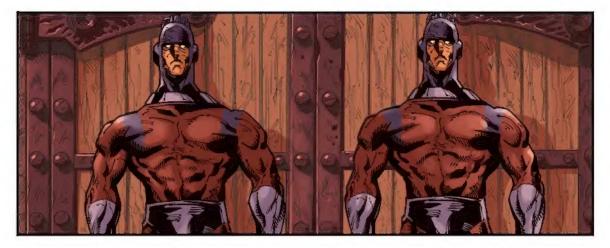


















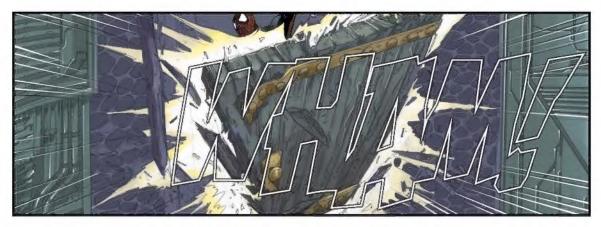




























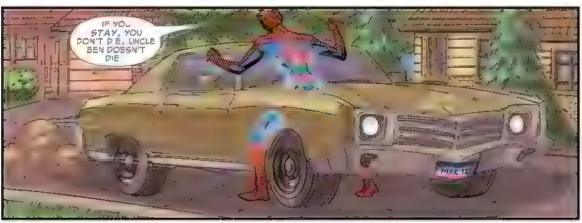


















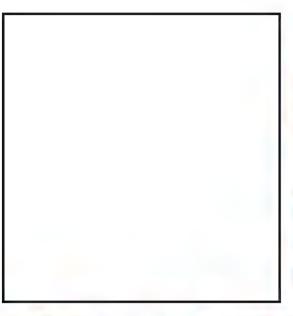






























































































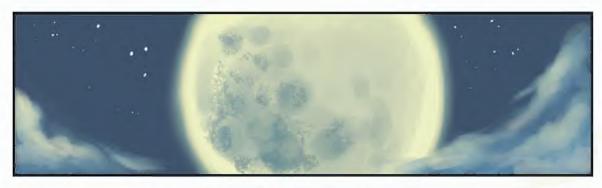




















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